

<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>	Application No.: <b>To b assigned</b> Filing Date: <b>Concurr ntly herewith</b> Attorney Docket No.: <b>US20020354</b> Inventor Name(s): <b>Car lyn L. Slon</b> Title: <b>SYSTEM OF VACUUM ACCESSIBILITY FOR A VEHICLE</b>  Express Mail Label No. <b>EV 118532696</b>
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<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b>	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
- ☒ Patent Application data Entry Form
- ☒ Specification comprising (21) pages, (27) claims.
- ☒ Drawings ( Twenty) (20) sheets
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney

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**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s))
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- ☒ Copies of IDS citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☐ Other:

**IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION**

☒ Non-Provisional of Provisional 
 ☐ Continuation 
 ☐ Divisional 
 ☐ Continuation-in-Part (CIP) of  
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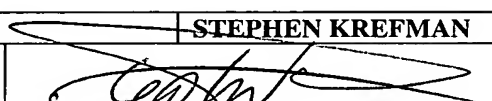
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<b><u>FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM</u></b>			Application No.: To be assigned Filing Date: Concurrently herewith Inventor(s): Carolyn L. Slone Title: SYSTEM OF VACUUM ACCESSIBILITY FOR A VEHICEL Attorney Docket No.: US20020354		
Total Amount of Payment <b>\$1,154.00</b>					
<b>CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I</b>			<b>OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY</b>		
	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Basic Fee	1		0	\$770.00	770.00
Total Claims	27	-20	7	x \$18 =	126.00
Independent Claims	6	-3	3	x \$86=	258.00
				<b>TOTAL FEE =</b>	<b>\$1,154.00</b>

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II						
<b>AMENDMENT A</b>	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total		Minus	20		\$18	
Independent Claims		Minus			\$86	
					<b>TOTAL FEE =</b>	<b>\$</b>

<b>AMENDMENT B</b>	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total		Minus	20	0	\$18	0
Independent Claims		Minus	3	0	\$86	0
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